

EMPORIA YOUNG MEN ARE GUESTS OF HONOR

Miss Helen Vincent Entertains Jolly
Twelve Club at Her
Home.

MRS. G. S. BRUCE HOSTESS

Joseph Hedges Chapter, D. A. R.,
Holds First Meeting of Season.
Course of Study Submitted and
Adopted by Members.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch)
EMPIORIA, VA., September 30.—Miss
Helen Vincent entertained the Jolly
Twelve on Monday evening at her
home. The young men were the guests
of honor. The program was progressive.
Twenty-one were present. The prizes
were won by Miss Mattie Lee and Mr.
W. Wyche Jr. The consolation prize
was awarded Miss Mattie Wyche. Those
present were Misses Bettie Lee, Ida Caton,
Mattie Wyche, Mary Cochran, Sara
Briggs, Eleanor Tillar, Susie
Powell, Mary Wood and Messrs. J. S.
Wren, E. L. Wyche, W. C. Ladd, E. C.
James, Mrs. E. G. Goodwin, Mrs.
W. C. Weaver and Miss Mary Turner.

Mrs. George S. Bruce entertained at
an auction bridge on Tuesday afternoon
at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. P.
Turner. Mrs. E. C. Palmer made the
highest score and won the prize. Those
playing were Mrs. W. T. Tillar, Mrs.
S. V. Sartori, Mrs. E. C. James, Mrs.
E. G. Goodwin, Mrs. E. G. Goodwin, Mrs.
W. C. Weaver and Miss Mary Turner.

Miss Ella Manning, county agent for
the Greensville Girls' Camping Club, and
Miss Pauline Ashland, county agent for
Brunswick, entertained the members of
their clubs for three days last
week at the Bradley House. Races
were tested and instruction given in
domestic science. On Friday a luncheon
was served by the girls to the
members of the school board, board of
supervisors, the Mayor and the superintendent
of public schools.

Among the Emporia people who have
been on recent motor trips to Richmond
are Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Dowd, Miss
Alfreda Peacock and Mr. Howard
Fox, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. McGehee and Little
Son, and E. L. Johnston. On Sunday
Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Turner, Mrs. George
S. Bruce and Mrs. E. P. Turner motored
to Lawrenceville.

Miss Susie Powell left on Tuesday
for visits to Tampa, Fla., and other
points in the South.

DR. AND MRS. NADIE BACK FROM BRIDAL TRIP

Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Noff have re-
turned from their wedding trip and are
at home at the residence of Mrs. J. D.
Pebbles, South Emporia.

Joseph Hedges Chapter, D. A. R., held
the first autumn meeting in the
school auditorium on Wednesday after-
noon. Miss W. S. Price, president, and
a committee of study for the year was
elected to Mr. R. J. Green and adopted
by the chapter. Mrs. Green was elected
a delegate to the State convention to be
held on October 1 in Roanoke.

Miss Virgie Anderson was elected second
vice-president, and Mrs. W. B. Goodwin,
historian.

Mrs. Mary Armstrong Mason, who
is the mother of two of her sisters,
Mrs. E. P. Taylor, has returned to her
home in Brunswick.

Among the young people who recently
have left Emporia for their prospective
schools are W. R. Caton, Williamsburg
Academy; Waynesboro Academy; James
Blackstone, Miss Elizabeth Taylor,
Chattanooga; Mrs. Weston, Augusta Military
Academy, St. Paul.

Archie Robertson of Norfolk, spent
a few days this week with his brother,
W. W. Robertson.

Mrs. E. M. Parker, president of the
Methodist Missionary Society, has outlined
plans for a whirlwind campaign
to begin on October 3 for the purpose
of organizing new auxiliaries and increasing
interest in the subject of missions.

Mrs. E. T. Stallings is visiting her
sister, Mrs. Dunn, in Scotland Neck.

ALTAVISTA

(Special to The Times-Dispatch)
ALTAVISTA, VA., September 30.—C. N.
Cunningham returned on Sunday
after a week's visit with Mrs. Cunningham
at Asheville, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Blackwell and
family drove over to Grit on Sunday
and spent the day with A. V. Dillard.

Miss Madeline Dowdy, who has been
the guest of Miss Grace Walker,
returned to her home in Lynchburg on
Monday.

Miss Lucy Powers and Susie Blair
of Scottsville, and Miss Anna Powers
of Richmond, are agents of Mrs. and
Mrs. A. G. Bell, Jr.

Dr. H. E. Price returned home on
Monday from a two weeks' stay at
Crest Hollow Spring.

Mrs. Virginia McCutchen and Miss Grace
Kasey, who have been guests of Miss
Eva McCutchen, returned to their
homes in Lynchburg on Saturday.

Mrs. T. N. Reid of Hinton, W. Va.,
who has been the guest of her brother,
O. K. McFarney, left on Tuesday for
home. She was accompanied as far as
Lynchburg by Mrs. McFarney, who
spent the day with her sister, Mrs.
W. T. Grimes.

Miss Florence Bowley, of Lynchburg,
was the guest of Mr. and Mrs.
A. C. Sowers of Sulphur.

Curtis Simpson left last week for
the University of Virginia, where he
will be a student.

Miss Lena Edwards left on Monday for
Bristol, where she will be a student
at Virginia-International College.

Mr. W. C. Smith is visiting relatives
and friends in Philadelphia this week.

Miss Irene Adams, who has spent
the past month vacationing in New York
City and other Northern cities, returned
home on Wednesday morning.

Miss Mary Floyd Bowman, of Bed-
ford, Md., was a recent guest at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Adams.

Miss Emma Smith left on Monday for
New York for Surre. You where she
will teach.

Mrs. E. W. Ladd and Mr. and Mrs.

P. F. Hardison motored to Chatham on
Sunday to visit Miss Elizabeth Tucker,
who is attending Chatham Episcopal
Institute.

Mrs. R. L. Cumnoch entertained on
Tuesday afternoon in honor of her
daughter, Mrs. G. J. Miller, of Roanoke.

Miss Eva McCutchen entertained a
number of friends on Friday morning
in honor of her guests, Mrs. Virginia
Jordan and Miss Grace Kasey, of
Lynchburg.

FARMVILLE NORMAL

(Special to The Times-Dispatch)
FARMVILLE, VA., September 30.—The
normal school has derived much
assistance from the recent meeting of
the Southern Sociological Congress,
which has been in session during the
past week in Farmville. Several meet-
ings have been held especially for the
normal school student body, and Mrs.
Elizabeth Troutman and Dr. J. P.
Franklin of the staff have addressed
the students at the assembly period.
The problems of neighborhood, hygiene
and general social hygiene have been
presented by the various speakers in a
very effective manner.

Miss Belva Cuzari of the United
States Bureau of Education inspected
the Training School the past week.
The following are the class officers
for the years 1916, 1918 and 1919: senior
class—President, Francis Moonbeam;
Vice-President, Louise Owen; Secretary,
Virginia Mayo; reporter, Eugenia Landie;
Junior class—President, Julia Stover; Vice-
President, Josephine Cleaver; Secretary,
Josephine Daniels; treasurer, Margaret
McDonald; reporter, Rebecca Farson;
Fourth year class—President, Ethelde
Manning; Vice-President, Ruth
Manning; Director of the United States
Bureau of Mines; Professor Charles P.
Marvin, chief United States Weather
Bureau; Lieutenant-Colonel George O.
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PLANNING FOR PART IN COMMERCIAL WAR

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search Council.

PLANS FOR CO-OPERATION

Will Encourage Increased Use of
Science in Development of Ameri-
can Industries—Endorsed by Pres-
ident Wilson.

WASHINGTON, September 30.—With
the avowed purpose of leading them
to American industry in the great
commercial war that will follow
the close of the European war,
leading men of science of the country
have mobilized their interests and have
formed the National Research Council,
with a membership of men known
throughout the world for their accom-
plishments along the line of science.
Nine prominent United States govern-
ment officials have been honored by
membership in this council. These are
Major-General William Crozier, chief
of ordnance; U. S. A.; Brigadier-General
William C. Gorham, surgeon-general;
General S. A. Dr. Charles H. Holmes,
curator, National Museum; Van H.
Manning, director of the United States
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searches required for the manufacture
of dyestuffs, synthetic medicines and
other medicines made scarce by the
war. Still another committee will act
with the American Physical Society
and the Electrical Engineers to develop
and apply the most defective devices
for military communications, the de-
tection of submarines and for other
similar purposes.

"These are some of the immediate
problems that the Research Council
will take up, but its activities will be
broadened to such an extent as to in-
clude every scientific and research
problem that will help American in-
dustry.

"The different universities and col-
leges of the country will play an impor-
tant role in this work. I under-
stand that Throop College of Tech-
nology, of California, bearing of the
formation of the council, immediately
obtained an additional endowment of
\$100,000, so that it could take its share
of this work. The engineering founda-
tion, an institution endowed by one
of the country's great scientific men,
Ambrose Swasey, of Cleveland, Ohio,
has agreed to finance the council for
the first year of its existence. Al-
together, I look for some striking de-
velopments in the aid of American in-
dustry.

"The National Academy of Sciences,
which is responsible for the creation of
the research council, has the endorse-
ment of President Wilson in a letter
sent to the president of the academy,
Dr. William H. Welch, of Baltimore.

"I want to tell you with what grati-
fication I have received the preliminary
report of the National Research Coun-
cil, which was formed at my request
under the National Academy of Sci-
ences. The President wrote: 'The out-
line of work there set forth and the
evidences of remarkable progress to-
ward the accomplishment of the object
of the council are indeed gratifying.
May I not take this occasion to say
that the departments of the government
are ready to co-operate in every
way that may be required, and that
the heads of the departments most im-
mediately concerned are now, at my
request, actively engaged in consider-

ing the best methods of co-operation.
Representatives of government bureaus
will be appointed as members of the
research council as the council de-
sires.'

ALBERTA

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ALBERTA, VA., September 30.—Ed-
ward Brooks left this week for Ban-
dolph-Macon Academy.

Mrs. H. T. Coleman, who has been
visiting relatives here for some time,
left today for her home in Savannah,

Ga., and Mrs. J. M. Callis, of Rich-
mond, are visiting relatives and friends
at the Hotel Alberta.

Mrs. T. A. Smith, of Richmond, is
visiting here.

E. P. Brown left recently for Wash-
ington and Lee University.

W. B. Barlow, of Edmonds Store,
has moved into his new home in town.

Thornton Jeffress, of Rochester, N.
Y., is spending a few days in town this
week.

William Lumley, of Lynchburg,
was married Saturday on Tuesday
to Charlotte, N. C., where she was
called by the death of her niece.

Mrs. R. J. Rich and children have
returned to their home in Huntington,
W. Va., after a visit to Dr. and Mrs.
C. W. Gleaves.

Miss Annie Powell left on Tuesday
for Savannah, where she will teach.

Mr. and Mrs. Fontaine Brown have
returned from a trip to Roanoke.

Mrs. W. S. Poage will leave this week
for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Emmet
Cassell, in Fallston, Md.

Mrs. Robert A. Goodwin, Miss Mary
Goodwin and Campbell Goodwin, who

WYTHEVILLE

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Miss Tyrell G. Kent entertained a num-
ber of friends on Saturday with an
enjoyable day at the Inn at Foster's
Falls.

On Tuesday the Morning Bridge Club
met with Miss Page Moore.

Mrs. Christian Thomas was hostess
to the Wednesday Auction Club this
week.

Harry Nicol, who has been spending
some time with relatives in Wytheville,
has returned to Detroit. Mrs. Nicol
was detained here by the illness of her
brother-in-law, William Winkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stanley will re-
turn on Saturday to Norfolk, after
spending the summer with Captain and
Mrs. B. F. Stanley.

Mrs. Robert Savers and little son
have returned from a visit to Dr. and
Mrs. W. S. Sayers, in Roanoke.

Miss Willie Withers left on Monday
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mond.

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